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FM AMEMBASSY SANTO DOMINGO
TO SECSTATE WASHDC 1015
INFO AMEMBASSY PORT AU PRINCE

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E.O. 11652: N/A
TAGS: CASC, HA, DR
SUBJECT: HAITIAN/DOMINICAN BORDER-CROSSING REQUIREMENTS:
CONGRESSIONAL INQUIRY

REF: STATE 139653

1. LAND FRONTIER BETWEEN DR AND HAITI IS NOT OFFICIALLY OPEN BUT IT IS POSSIBLE TO OBTAIN PERMISSION FOR BORDER CROSSING. HOWEVER, OPEN-ENDED PERMITS ARE NOT ISSUED. PROFESSOR WOODS MUST HAVE PLACE, SPECIFIC DATE AND APPROXIMATE TIME OF DAY FOR EACH, RPT, EACH CROSSING.

2. TO SECURE DR PERMISSION FOR BORDER CROSSING, PROFESSOR WOODS MUST ADDRESS REQUEST TO OFFICE OF THE PRESIDENCY CLEARLY STATING PLACE, DATE, AND TIME OF EACH CROSSING. UPON CONCURRENCE OF THE PRESIDENCY, APPLICATION IS PASSED TO FOREIGN OFFICE AND IMMIGRATION OFFICE FOR ACTION. FOREIGN OFFICE OR DR EMBASSY GIVES OFFICIAL NOTE TO PROFESSOR WHICH HE MUST CARRY AND PRESENT AT FRONTIER, AND IMMIGRATION ALERTS FRONTIER POSTS BY TELEGRAPH. REQUEST TO PRESIDENCY CAN BE FORWARDED FROM DR EMBASSY, WASHINGTON; DR EMBASSY, PORT-AU-PRINCE; OR, IN SANTO DOMINGO, THROUGH HAITIAN AFFAIRS SECTION OF FOREIGN OFFICE. MINIMUM OF THREE WEEKS SHOULD BE ALLOWED FOR PROCESSING OF REQUEST IN SANTO DOMINGO.

3. AS TWO COUNTRIES PREFER THAT EXIT BORDER DOCUMENTATION BE UNCLASSIFIED

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COMPLETE BEFORE CONSIDERING REQUEST FOR ENTRANCE DOCUMENTATION, PROFESSOR WOODS MAY BE ASKED TO PRODUCE HAITIAN BORDER CROSSING PERMIT BEFORE DOMINICANS WILL PROCESS HIS REQUEST.

4. IN LIGHT OF PARA THREE, EMBASSY SUGGESTS THAT, IF

CONVENIENT FOR PROFESSOR WOODS, HE PLAN TO ARRIVE PORT-AU-
PRINCE WITH SUFFICIENT LEAD TIME TO DO BORDER CROSSING PAPER
WORK THERE. EMBASSY ALSO STRONGLY SUGGESTS HE CARRY US
PASSPORT WITH VALID DOMINICAN AND HAITIAN MULTIPLE ENTRY VISAS
TO FACILITATE TRAVEL ACROSS FRONTIER.
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